

Resolution #2003-1

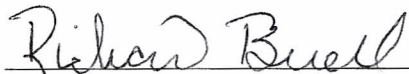
Whereas, the Town Treasurer of the Town of Phelps, Vilas County, Wisconsin, is required to execute and deliver to the Vilas County Treasurer, a Bond in compliance with Section 70.76(1) of the Wisconsin Statutes, and


Whereas Section 70.76(2) Wisconsin Statutes provides for a method of avoiding this requirement through the adoption of an ordinance by the Town Board, now therefore,

Be it resolved, that the Town of Phelps, Vilas County, Wisconsin does obligate and guarantee the payment of all State and County Taxes, required by law to be paid by the Town Treasurer to the Vilas County Treasurer, in case the said Town Treasurer should fail to do so.

Dated this 13th day off October 2003


Anthony Campion, Chairman


Richard Buell, Supervisor


Donna Brand, Supervisor

Attested:


Nancy Steenport, Clerk

RESOLUTION #2003-2
EXOTIC AQUATIC SPECIES

Whereas: there are 31 lakes covering 10,542 acres of fresh water within the Town of Phelps, Vilas County, Wisconsin, and

Whereas: these fresh water resources belong not only to the citizens of the Town of Phelps but also to the citizens of the State as guaranteed by the State Constitution and affirmed by numerous court rulings, and

Whereas: the invasion of exotic aquatic species of plant and animal life have detrimentally impacted the significant percentage of the State's water resources, thereby reducing their quality, desirability and ability to provide recreational, economic, subsistence, and cultural opportunities, and

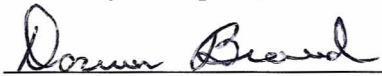
Whereas: the Public Trust Doctrine mandates that the State of Wisconsin has the responsibility for protecting these public water resources for its citizens; so, therefore be it

Resolved: that the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin exercise its legal responsibility by establishing a reliable, renewable, and adequate funding stream and aggressive policies for research, prevention, best management practices, and public education for currently identified and future exotic aquatic plant and animal species in the State's natural water resources.


Adopted this 8th day of December, 2003 by the Phelps Town Board.



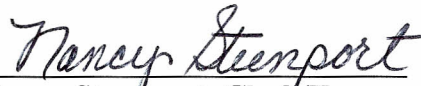
Anthony Campion, Chairman



Donna Brand, Supervisor



Richard Buell, Supervisor

Attest: 

Nancy Steenport, Clerk/Treasurer

LAKE PLANNING GRANT

Resolution # 2004-01

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF PHELPS, COUNTY OF VILAS

WHEREAS North and South Twin Lakes are an important resource used by the public for recreation and enjoyment of natural beauty; and

WHEREAS a study and examination of the lakes will lead to better understanding and will promote the public health, comfort, convenience, necessity and public welfare; and

WHEREAS we recognize the need for responsible and holistic long-range planning to better manage the lakes, its watershed, and its use; and

WHEREAS we are qualified to carry out the responsibilities of the planning project

IT IS, THEREFORE, RESOLVED THAT:

The Township of Phelps requests the funds and assistance available from the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources under the "Lake Management Planning Grant Program" and

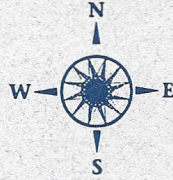
HEREBY AUTHORIZES North and South Twin Lakes Riparian Association to act on behalf of The Township of Phelps to: submit an application to the State of Wisconsin for financial aid for lake planning purposes; sign documents; and take necessary action to undertake, direct, and complete an approved planning grant.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Township of Phelps will meet the obligations of the planning project including timely publication of the results and meet the financial obligations under this grant including the prompt payment of our commitment to planning project costs.

We understand the importance of a continuing management program for North and South Twin Lakes and intend to proceed on that course.

Adopted this day 12 of January 2004
By a vote of: 3 in favor 0 against 0 abstain

BY: Nancy Steenport Clerk of
The Township of Phelps



NORTH & SOUTH TWIN LAKES

RIPARIAN ASSOCIATION

The Town of Phelps in cooperation with North and South Lakes Riparian Association has applied for a Lake Management Grant from the State of Wisconsin. If successful in that endeavor, the cost of the study of North and South Twin Lakes will be borne by the State of Wisconsin with the balance underwritten by NSTLRA. There will be no costs of the study that are to be assumed by the Town of Phelps.

Ginny Parker Virginia Hoken Date 1/12/04
Ginny Parker, Secretary
North and South Twin Lakes Riparian Association

Thomas Hickson Date 1/12/04
Tom Hickson, Vice-president
North and South Twin Lakes Riparian Association